SUMMER 2012 WEEK

6 July 2- July 6

# Irving Recreation Center Day Camp Newsletter

# Important Reminders

Our camp rules are:

- Be safe
- Be respectful
- Be responsible

Pack a sack lunch for your child in an insulated container. Microwave use will not be an option.

Wear tennis shoes to camp. Sandals and flip-flops are not safe options for camp activities.

Leave valuables at home (including money, cell phones, portable video games, etc.)

Label sunscreen and water bottles with your camper's name.

Do not hesitate to ask when you have questions or comments.

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# Grades 5-7

# TIME IS FLYING AT IRVING DAY CAMP!

It's hard to believe that when we return after the Independence Day holiday we will have officially passed the halfway point of the summer. We've been working hard to make sure all of our campers are having as much fun as our Day Camp Leaders! If at any time you or your child has any suggestions for camp, don't hesitate to let a Day Camp Leader know. We'll be sure to incorporate your ideas whenever possible!

# THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

#### Monday

After our morning stretches we'll start off the day with an opportunity for campers to plan some of their favorite activities for this week followed by team-building activities and active games. This afternoon we'll make homemade clay beads for a later craft project, do a little gardening, and then head to the State Capitol from 1:30-3:30.

#### Tuesday

Activity rotations this morning include tennis and bocce followed by swimming at Irvingdale Pool from 11:30-1:00. Don't forget to bring your swimsuit, towel, and sunscreen. The afternoon will consist of work on our "Agents of Change" service projects, and a couple more activity rotations.

# Wednesday

No day camp. Have a SAFE and FUN July 4th!

# Thursday

This morning campers will play a game of Capture the Flag in Irvingdale Park followed by their choice of either a photography scavenger hunt or GPS hunt activity. Activities later in the day will include tennis lessons with Woods Tennis Center, archery instruction, jewelry making, and continued work on our service learning projects.

#### Friday

Right after we warm up this morning we're going to take a walk to South Branch Library. Feel free to bring a library card if you'd like to check out any materials. We'll be back in time for swimming from 11:30-1:00 at Irvingdale Pool. Bring your swimming gear and sunscreen. In the afternoon we'll play some games, do a little yoga, and finish off with some friendly chess and checkers competition.

# **EMAIL NEWS**

Update your email address with the rec. center office to make sure you stay current on all there is to know about Summer Day Camp at Irving Recreation Center.



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